

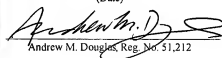
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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action transmitted October 7, 2008 (Office Action).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.